

E-01345A-08-0172

9

From: Sent: To:

Subject:

YCCA OFFICE- SANDY [ycca@cableone.net]

Friday, August 07, 2009 3:10 PM

Mayes-WebEmail; Kennedy-Web; Pierce-Web; Stump-Web

Prescott Visit

Chairman Mayes and Commissioners Kennedy, Pierce and Stump,

Thank you so much for taking time from your business and personal life to come to our community and listen to our concerns. Commissioners Kennedy, Pierce and Stump, such an honor to meet you and Kris, as always great to see you back in town.

I am a huge believer in education and promotion. These utility companies have the resources of at least 5 -6 builder associations through AZ to help education and promote renewal energy and efficient energy use. The rebates are not large enough, we seriously need the "CASH FOR CLUNKERS" type of money – how can we get that. Let these building associations along with the utility companies then take the lead and help the community, the elderly, the aged, etc. We should be working with A/C suppliers and mfg's to offer units at discounted prices – I see this as a way to also generate work and starting companies hiring again. Some of these homes have such old outdated equipment, their utility bills would drop in a heart beat if they had up-to-date equipment.

Right now, I am working on a toilet program, low –flow toilets to conserve water usage. Plumbers are on board, offering discounted rates, toilet mfg's have given us special prices, installers are reducing their prices, all for the benefit of the community and to help people with the \$'s. No one should loose money, but together we can save and make a difference.

What about the possibility of e-mailing monthly bills? What a savings on stationary, postage, paper, etc. Offer discounts for automatic bank monthly payments. The citizens cannot be the bank for these utility companies.

APS & Unisource are terrific community partners and we need them as much as they need us. I thank you for your consideration and you have my utmost respect for the job you do.

Please call anytime, if I can ever be of assistance.

Arizona Commission

Sandy

Sandy Griffis Executive Director
YAVAPAI COUNTY CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION
810 E. Sheldon Street - Bennett Oil Building
Prescott, AZ 86301
www.ycca.org

DOCKET CONTROL AZ CORP COMMISSION

"To love what you do and feel that it matters - how could anything be hib helliun?" Katharine Graham (publisher, Washington Post, 1969-1979)

OFFICE (928) 778-0040 FAX (928) 541-9882 RECEIVED

1